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Special Town Meeting TO VOTE ON LIMITED TOWN GOVERNMENT.

The legal voters of Arlington are hereby notified that a special Town Meeting will be held

Monday, January 24, 1921.

When a ballot vote will be taken on acceptance of "An Act to provide for precinct voting, representative town meetings, town meeting members, a referendum and an annual moderator in the Town of Arlington, be accepted by this Town?"

Voters in Precinct One will cast their ballots at Robbins Memorial Town Hall,

Voters in Precinct Two will cast their ballots at the Crosby School on Winter Street,

The polls will be opened at one o'clock and close at nine o'clock, P. M., in both Precincts.

Per order SELECTMEN,

THOMAS J. ROBINSON, Clerk.

Attest:—

WILLIAM T. CANNIFF, Constable.

Arlington Teacher's Club ANNUAL CONCERT COURSE

LAMBERT MURPHY, Famous Soloist, Monday Evening, January 17, 1921.

WOLLASTON GLEE CLUB, WALTER M. SMITH, Trumpetor
Thursday Evening, February 3, 1921.

BOSTON SYMPHONY PLAYERS CLUB, Mme. APOLLINE BROOKE, Soloist
Wednesday Evening, March 30, 1921.

EDWIN WHITNEY, Impersonator—GEORGES LAURENT, Flutist
Wednesday Evening, April 27, 1921.

Robbins Memorial Hall

8 P.M.

Tickets may be secured from members of the club.

COURSE TICKETS, \$2.00.

Tickets for Single Concert, 75c.

Reserved for Single Concert, \$1.00.

Tickets may be exchanged for reserved seats after 4 P. M., January 12th, at the High School Office on payment of 50 cents extra for course.



MR. LAMBERT MURPHY PROGRAM For Teachers' Club Concert MONDAY EVENING, Jan. 17

Recit. "Deeper and Deeper Still," (Jephtha) Handel
Aria. "Waft Her, Angels, through the Skies" (Jephtha) Handel
Passing By..... Purcell
La Chant de les Cloches..... Fourdrain
Aubade from Le Roi D'ys..... Lalo
Chavauchee Cosaque..... Fourdrain
Aveil pose ses pieds lents..... Paulin
Aria. "Voi Griselidis" from Griselidis..... Masenet
Crying of Water..... Campbell Tipton
I Hear a Thrush at Eve..... Cadman
Before the Dawn..... Chadwick
When the Roses Bloom..... Reichardt
Christ in Flanders..... Ward Stephens
Would God I were the Tender Apple Blossom..... Old Irish
Molly Bawn..... Old Irish
Kathleen Maunourneen..... Cronch
There is No Death..... O'Hara
At the Piano: Wolfsohn Musical Bureau.

REPORT ON HOOVER EUROPEAN RELIEF DRIVE.

The committee of the European Children's Relief Fund wishes to thank each and everyone who contributed with money or time, or in any way toward making this drive a success. While it did not reach the goal we set ourselves, still we feel Arlington did her share as she always does. We are told from Boston headquarters that Arlington is well toward the top in the list of contributing towns. The treasurer, Mrs. O. R. Whittemore presents the following report and requests that, inasmuch as, owing to expense, it was deemed unwise to send receipts to contributors, anyone desiring a receipt will communicate with her. Receipts and expenditures were as follows:—

Individual contributions	\$1,406.66
Business houses	350.00
Churches and Sunday schools	597.22
Sale of Christmas cards	268.20
Small contributions and coin boxes	50.12
Longfellow Chapter 117, O. E. S.	50.00
Clover Leaf A-Hand club	25.00
Credited to Arlington but paid else- where	\$2,757.20 545.00
Printing and advertising	35.00 \$3,302.20
MYRA H. WHITTEMORE, Treasurer	\$3,267.20

AMERICAN LEGION, POST 39.

Wednesday evening was a red letter event for the comrades of Arlington Post, 39, of the American Legion. It was installation night, and the occasion was made a big event for this hustling post. Many town officials and men prominent in town affairs were present. Commanders of Francis Gould Post 36, G. A. R., were guests, as also were members of the Legion Auxiliary. The program of the evening was a most interesting one all the way through.

The installing officer was Past Commander Joseph C. Cotton of Stanley Hill Post 38 of Lexington, with Past Dept. Com. Mass. G. A. R., A. H. Knowles, as sergeant-at-arms. The ritual was new to the younger men, but very familiar to the comrades of the G. A. R. Herbert F. White was installed Commander, Frank T. Bennett senior vice-commander; William L. Carrol, junior vice-commander; Clifford D. Strout, finance officer; Richard W. Nixon, adjutant; Minot R. Edwards, chaplain; Francis A. Stengel, sergeant-at-arms; Chester A. Philpott, historian.

Immediately following the installation, Arthur Pelree, in behalf of his comrades of the post, presented the retiring commander, John A. Colbert, with a past commander's badge, paying glowing tribute to the work done by the commander of the last eighteen months. During the evening there were speeches by the new commander, Mr. White, past-commander Colbert, Past-Commander Joseph C. Cotton, Horatio A. Phinney, chairman of the Board of Selectmen; Comrade Alfred H. Knowles; Commander Charles P. Kellogg of Post 36, G. A. R., Junior vice-Department of Mass. G. A. R., Henry Clark; Past-Commander Andrew McGinnis

of Post 36; Walter A. Robinson, chairman of the commission recently sent to France to locate the graves of the American soldier dead. Mr. Robinson told of some of the work done by the commission. At the close of the speeches, all marched to the lower hall, where a fine supper was served. Here song sheets were passed out and there was singing and eating until a late hour.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Legion presented its new officers at this time as follows:—Mrs. F. W. Gay, president; Mrs. Alice M. Strout, vice-president; Miss Helen P. Bennett, treasurer; Miss Teresa McCarthy, secretary; Mrs. Frank Harwood, Mr. Jesse Reed, Miss Marie Long, executive committee; Mrs. Thomas J. Robinson, color bearer; Miss Ruth Staples, conductor; and Miss Marie Long, guard.

ARLINGTON LOCALS.

—Mrs. C. Trundy, 9 Central street, has for sale a good servicable overcoat. Price reasonable.

—Mr. B. S. Moors of Boulder, Colorado, is visiting his uncle, Mr. B. F. Moors of 28 Davis avenue.

—"Working together" will be the sermon topic of Rev. W. H. Gould, pastor of the Universalist church, at the morning service next Sunday.

—More than two hundred dollars was collected last Sunday at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Lexington, for the Hoover Relief Fund for European children.

—Representative Charles C. Warren was chosen clerk of the "Ways and Means" committee of the Mass. House of Representatives, when it met on Tuesday and organized.

—The District Nursing Association is delighted with the generous response to their appeal for a New Year's Gift. Nearly a thousand dollars was contributed within a few days.

—Mr. Samuel Upton of White-moore street, who is at Brooks Hospital, Brookline, where he recently underwent a serious operation, is making a remarkably successful recovery. Mr. Upton has many friends in Arlington, who will be glad to hear of his improvement in health.

—At the seven o'clock evening service of the First Baptist church next Sunday, Mrs. Victoria Sullivan, mezzo-soprano, of Milton, will be the assisting singer. With the choir, she will sing "By the waters of Babylon," by Watson; for a solo number, "We give immortal praise," by St. Saens.

—The evening service at St. John's Episcopal church last Sunday was largely attended. Eleven young people were confirmed by Bishop Lawrence, who made a brief address to the confirmation class. The subject of his sermon to the congregation was "Value of a Parish Church."

—Mr. Edward Bailey Schwamb had a successful operation for appendicitis, Tuesday night. It was an emergency case and the operation was performed by Dr. Webb and Dr. Lahey of Boston at Symmes Hospital. Mr. Schwamb is a student at Technology and has been goal-guard on the Tech hockey team for the past two seasons.

—Next Monday evening, in the vestry of the church, comes the annual meeting of Arlington Orthodox Congregational society, when a report of a committee appointed to consider the uniting of church and society in a single corporate body will be presented. The business meeting will be preceded by a supper served at 6.30.

—The heavy task of dividing Arlington into seven voting precincts, in anticipation of favorable action by voters on acceptance of the Act providing for a Limited Town Meeting, is progressing satisfactorily. The committee namely in the Act assigns Crosby School as the voting place for two sections, the Locke school for one section, Town Hall for four sections or precincts, making seven in all. This divides the two voting lists heretofore in use into seven alphabetically arranged lists. Any one can see what a lot of work is required to handle nearly eight thousand names in this way.

—The annual meeting of Menotomy Trust Company was held in the banking room on Tuesday and with a single exception the officers were reelected, Thomas D. Kennedy taking the place made vacant by death of James M. Mead. This is without doubt the last annual meeting to be held in present location. The modest quarters occupied for about thirty years will be soon given up and removal made to the Menotomy Trust Co. building now rapidly nearing completion. The history of this institution consists in a steady growth, a continual broadening of the scope of its business and an annual accumulating of assets until now it ranks as one of the strongest financial institutions of Greater Boston. But we do not mean to trench on the story we have in preparation to print when the company occupies its new building. Suffice it to say that during the year 1920, deposits in the company increased \$800,000.

—Friday afternoon, Jan. 7, the annual meeting of the Arlington W. C.

CONCERT

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Thursday Evening, January 27, at 8

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PROGRAMME

- 1 Overture to "The Merry Wives of Windsor" Nicolai
- 2 Suite "Peer Gynt" Grieg
 - (a) Morning Mood
 - (b) Death of Ase
 - (c) Anitra's Dance
 - (d) In the Hall of the Mountain King
- 3 Fantasia from the opera "Carmen" Bizet
- 4 Overture to "William Tell" Rossini
- 5 Scherzo from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" Mendelssohn
- 6 "On The Beautiful Blue Danube" Strauss
- 7 Second Hungarian Rhapsody Liszt

Wednesday Evening, February 16, at eight

NEWELL DWIGHT HILLIS of BROOKLYN, N. Y., Lecturer

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Tuesday Evening, March 15, at eight

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NOTE—Tickets for the opening concert are now on sale.

T. U. was held in the parlor of the First Baptist church. After reports had been presented by the secretary and treasurer, the nominating committee submitted the following names for officers to serve during 1921.

President, Mrs. Laura Townsend; vice-presidents, Mrs. H. T. Gregory, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Yeames, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Dutcher; secretary, Mrs. Mabel Leetch; treasurer, Mrs. Gertrude Partriquin. A rising vote of thanks was given to the retiring president Mrs. Arthur Clare, Mrs. Axle Wood Upton for two years work as recording secretary and also to Mrs.

Gertrude Partriquin as a proficient treasurer. The union had done excellent work financially during the past year, closing the year with no outstanding bills. At the social hour which followed the hostesses were Mrs. John Blevins, Mrs. Arthur Clare, Mrs. Mabel Leetch, Mrs. Laura Townsend.

—Mrs. Sarah E. Rawson, widow of Warren W. Rawson, who was the founder of the old-time seed store of the W. W. Rawson Company at 13 Faneuil Hall square, died Wednesday night in Arlington. Mrs. Rawson was 75 years old, and had been a widow about 15 years. She was a native of the North End of Boston, and was the daughter of Peter Emery. Mrs. Rawson lived in Arlington for fifty years, and recently had made her home with her son, Herbert W. Rawson, at 295 Broadway. Besides this son, Mrs. Rawson's only survivor is a daughter, Miss Alice Rawson.

—There was a fairly good sized audience present in the assembly hall of the Junior High school on Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Ida Porter Boyer gave her first lecture, in a series arranged by Mrs. Frank E. White, chairman of the Education committee of the Arlington Woman's club, in the interest of good citizenship. Mrs. Boyer proved a most fascinating speaker and gave not only valuable information about the legislature, executive and judicial departments of our government, but she wove into it all many anecdotes. She outlined the practical use of the different departments of the cabinet, making in all an afternoon well spent. The next meeting will be January 26th. Any one interested in these lectures even altho not members of the club is invited to attend.

—The meeting of the Kensington Park Study club occurred Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. G. O. Goldsmith, 20 Woodland street, with the president Mrs. A. E. Norton in the chair. Twenty-one members and two visitors were present. After a short business meeting, the subject of the afternoon, "The Out-growth of the Puritan Spirit," was considered. Mrs. Goldsmith presented a paper on "The Life of Thomas Hooker." Mrs. W. G. Brooks gave an interesting account of the life of Roger Williams, followed by an equally instructive paper on the life of William Penn by Mrs. W. S. Hall. "The Results of the Navigator Act," was well handled by Mrs. C. E. Warren. At the social hour which followed Mrs. F. H. Clark poured and Mrs. C. E. Rideout and Mrs. C. F. Winner served.

—The literary meeting of the Social Alliance was held in the parlor of the Unitarian church, Monday afternoon, Mrs. Howard Bradford, presiding. Miss Grace G. Pelree, supervisor of music in the Arlington schools, entertained pleasantly with a group of songs. Rev. Hurley Begun spoke on the subject, "Saving America—Our Task," his theme being the work of the church in this line through new ideas coming into it. At the social hour the hostesses were Mrs. Robert Treadwell, Mrs. Alton Tupper, Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. William Homer, Mrs. A. M. Walcott, Mrs. Edward Bailey poured. The Alliance held an all day sewing meeting Tuesday to assist with the Red Cross quota. It was well attended and considerable work accomplished.

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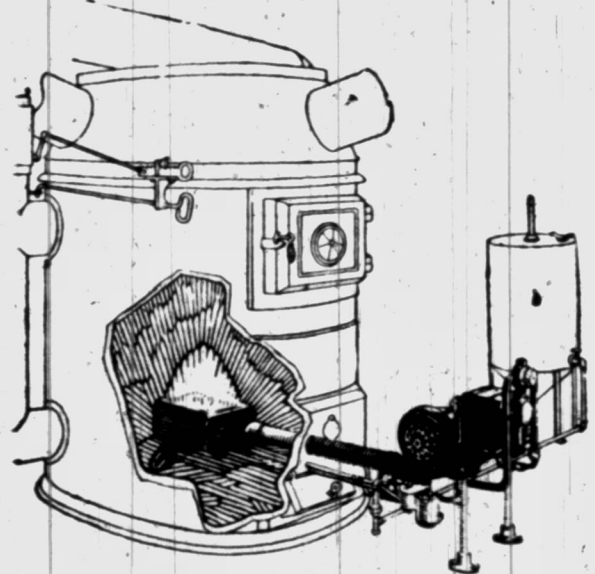


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THE AVERAGE WORKINGMAN AND THE CHURCH.

The following appeared in the Boston Herald of Monday morning, under the department of the paper called "Selections from our mail bag." We reprint it, not only because it was written by an Arlington resident, but because of its common sense, expressed so concisely and well. The letter follows:—

The other day I heard an I. W. W. speaker tell an audience of church people that the average workingman had no use for the church.

I wonder where men who make statements of this kind find their "average workingman." Every Sunday and holiday, as I look around me in the church which I attend I see the pews crowded with average workmen. Indeed if the average workingman should quit attending, there would be left but a very slim congregation.

Doubtless there are many workmen who have no affiliation with any church and who have long ceased to attend. But this is true also of professional and business men. I know many doctors and lawyers, as well as men of wealth and leisure, who have no use for the church. It is not a question of class or occupation. It is a question of religious education and conviction.

The average workingman as I know him is intelligent enough to realize that while the church may help and is helping to solve the labor problem, that is not the church's business primarily. The church to him has another and higher reason for existence. He does not attend church because he expects to hear sermons preached in favor of union labor, and he does not stay away because the pastor may not be in favor of an eight-hour day. However grave and pressing may be the problems that face him in his daily life, there is something deeper, more fundamental, more spiritual in man than his concern with wages and hours and the rights and wrongs of the open shop. The average workingman as I know him is intelligently aware of this. His attitude in church is expressed in the prayer, "Lord, Have Mercy on Me, a Sinner," and not "Lord, see what a sinner the capitalist is. Won't you please give him hell!"

DENIS A. MCCARTHY.

Arlington Heights, Jan. 7.

In the issue of the Herald on Tuesday morning appeared the following from the pen of Rev. A. E. Winship, of Boston, editor of Journal of Education:—

To the Editor of The Herald:

To my thinking the most important message of today is in the life, writing and lectures of Denis A. McCarthy. It is the one great platform need of the day.

I know of no other man who has the same story to tell and no other could tell it so effectively.

At 15 years of age he came to America, a frail, sentimental Irish lad with no money, with no appreciative people to welcome him, with no trade or profession, and with never a favoring breeze, he has come through it all with every conceivable obstacle to overcome without for one moment being disheartened or sored, without a trace of anxiety as to the future of America.

Everything that makes Mary Antin's story so thrilling is in his story and more. She is largely the product of our public schools, but he came too late for their influence. He is a demonstration of what the American spirit can do without the aid of friends or institutions.

No one loves Ireland more, no one is more devoted to his church and no one appreciates more what his people owe to America.

If Denis A. McCarthy had spoken on Pilgrim's day at Plymouth he would have had a message as vital and eternal as was the poem which we heard John Boyle O'Reilly read at the dedication of the monument. There would have been no pessimistic note, no lack of buoyant faith, but one great rainbow message of promise for America to Americans that are to be.

Denis A. McCarthy's message should be heard on every platform from Boston to San Francisco, and then its echoes would be heard from Fort Kent to Tia Juana.

A. L. WINSHIP.

Boston, Jan. 6.

ARLINGTON-CHELSEA GAME.

The High school basketball team made rather a poor showing in their opening game, played last Friday evening in the High school gym. It was the first game of the season for the home team, Chelsea team being their opponents. The visitors were all veterans at the game and naturally they had the edge on the Arlington players, for experience counts a great deal in this line of sport. The Arlington boys failed to realize that they have to watch their man, cover him at all times and thus prevent him from scoring. The Chelsea team was full of pep and go, and played all around the local team. Arlington has a team of practically new players at this game and doubtless will come along as the season progresses, but must wake up to the fact that they must spread out and do more team work in the future. Chelsea won out, forty-five to six. The first half ended in Chelsea, 26 and Arlington 3. Fouls were very frequent and the referee was called on to blow his whistle almost constantly. Bursey of the visiting team was the big man of his team and caged eleven baskets and scored seven goals from fouls. His playing was clean and fast, and his position was played to perfection, getting away from Arlington at will. Arlington had many chances to score from fouls, but were unsuccessful. Almost every available inch of space in the gymnasium and halls was taken up with the large number wishing to see the game. Chelsea brought a great following and had enough of their own rooters to fill

the place. They were a lively bunch and if noise helps a team out, they were there strong. Horns, automobile horns, and good sets of young lungs, made a din that could be heard for a mile at least. Somehow it seemed to be Chelsea that was doing all the cheering, the Arlington boys and girls, probably because the score was going against them, seeming to hold back from cheering their team.

Had the young folks contented themselves with the noise while inside the building, everything might have been all right, but after leaving the building the entire neighborhood was awakened with the yells and apparent rowdiness. It is with regret that these matters must be written about, but our own boys ought to feel pretty cheap, now that they have had time to think it over. Two trolley ropes were cut after electric cars had stopped and trolleys on quite a bunch of passengers who had witnessed the game. Not being content at cutting the trolley ropes on two cars, the boys amused themselves at pelting snowballs at the motorman and conductor the latter, at considerable risk to himself, being forced to climb up on the slippery roof of the car and get the trolley in contact with the wire.

Between the halves of the big game, the second teams of both schools played, Chelsea also winning this game by a score of 12 to 3. The second team put up a scrappy game and the first half ended in the visitors being four to nothing. Lack of experience at the game and the fact that this also was the first game of the season, probably account for this team's defeat also. The summary of the big game was as follows:—

CHELSEA H. S.			
Bursey	Goals	Fouls	Pts.
Bursey	11	7	29
Bates	4	0	8
Mackler	4	0	8
Sox	0	0	0
Kramer	0	0	0
Hanson	0	0	0
Totals	19	7	45

ARLINGTON.			
Viano	Goals	Fouls	Pts.
Viano	0	1	4
Donovan	0	0	2
Powell	0	0	0
Seaver	0	0	0
Gannerson	0	0	0
Fall	0	0	0
Rosie	0	0	0
Totals	0	1	6

MIDDLESEX SPORTSMAN'S NOTES.

The board of directors will meet weekly on Wednesday evening until further notice.

The Court of Honor of the Boy Scouts have been given the use of the basement meeting room on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month.

Director of Bowling R. E. Ambrose is attempting to start a house bowling tournament and would like to hear from those interested.

Vice-President George H. Rice has offered a valuable pair of hunting boots as a prize in the shooting gallery tournament to be started when the new shooting gallery is installed in the basement.

A trap shoot for members is to be held February 22, Washington's birthday, at Ranlet Grove, Billerica.

The income from "Brig" Young's marble game is to be set apart exclusively for the purchase of a moving picture outfit for the club's use. It will cost about \$600 and over one-sixth of that sum has already been raised.

A second fox hunt is being planned for Monday, January 31, starting at the club house at 7 a. m. After the day's sport a supper will be held at the club house.

On Tuesday evening, January 26, O. C. Bourne, chief game warden of this state, will lecture before the club on "Conservation of Wild Life in Massachusetts." This is also free to members.

Lyman Underwood, of Belmont, will give his illustrated lecture, "Jouneys With An Indian," at the club house, Tuesday evening, Feb. 8. This lecture is free to members.

At the monthly meeting of the Middlesex Sportsmen's Association, about twenty members came to lunch at 6.30 and a dozen or more joined in the business meeting that followed.

"Brig" Young was chef for the lunch and Harry Drew was "cookie." They evolved quite a satisfying chowder, which, with coffee and rolls and pilot bread, and some pickles brought along by Vice-President Rice, made up a feed that was relished by all. "Dick" Ambrose, in attempting to assume the role of waiter, stuck his hand in a bowl of piping hot chowder and received a scald which he will not soon forget but which fortunately did not disable him for bowling. At the business session much important business was transacted. A large bunch of new members was taken in. It was voted to purchase a cash register for necessary immediate repairs on the club house. It was voted to discontinue credit at the desk and follow out a "pay as you go" policy.

The secretary and treasurer were authorized to engage clerical assistance in preparing and sending out dues for the coming year and to get the due bills in the mail just as soon as possible. It was decided to hold weekly meetings of the directors, on Wednesday evenings, until further notice. President Reading presided and W. Stuart Allen acted as secretary pro tem in place of the regular secretary, Dr. H. C. Mohr, who was absent owing to illness.

WILBUR THEATRE.

"WHEN WE ARE YOUNG."

"When We Are Young," Kate McLaurin's charming comedy of youth and love, now in its third week at the Wilbur Theatre, will start its fourth week Monday evening, January 17. This triple starred Shubert production is packing the house at every performance, and its fine delicate pleasing humor has made an unremovable impression on Boston theatergoers.

Alma Tell, Henry Hull and George Marion, the three stars of this delightful little play are all Boston fa-

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GOOD WORK BY C. S. PARKER & SON

avorites. Miss Tell won the hearts of Boston with her portrayal of the girl in "The Hearts of Youth," while Henry Hull won universal commendation here in "The Man Who Came Back." George Marion is known to Boston audiences by hundreds of delightful delineations, not only appealing to the younger generation, but also to those who remember the old Boston Theatre in its palmy days.

George Marion plays the part of a faithful old dandy, who sticks to his master through thick and thin, and his characterization has caused one of the big theatrical sensations of the year.

Miss McLaurin has written a play which will appeal to all those who love the finer things of life. It is full of optimism, and conveys a message which is better and more poignant than most sermons.

SHUBERT THEATRE.

"PASSING SHOW."

"The Passing Show" Messrs. Lee and J. J. Shubert's rendezvous of radiantly restless runabouts in rhythmic rhymes and rambles, begins its fourth all-conquering week at the Shubert Theatre next Monday evening, January 17. Eighth of these massive, masterly maldome revues which have made the Winter Garden famous, the present production outlines its predecessors in magnitude, in beauty, in personnel, in cuties and in popularity. It is a cyclone cellar stocked against perpetual prohibition; a sovereign remedy for all ills physic; a pulsating sunbeam crystallized into the joy of life.

Its scenes range from the haven of the gods, where there is no prohibition of any kind, to a modern ball room where the Eighteenth Amendment is the only prohibition. Between the scenes depicting the well dressed gods, and the somewhat more lightly garbed ladies of the modern ballroom come visits to such unusual places as a water lily pond in blooming time, to King Solomon's kitchenette on a Thursday, to King Solomon's court on one of his numerous wedding days, to Florence—the city—at the period when the original Barrymore brothers played the original "Jest," and to divers places which must be seen to be appreciated.

The music of the production is a perambulation through the land of symphony and jazz, personally conducted by Sinbad the sailor. No variety of harmony known to music is slighted, and it has a rhythmic quality which tickles the dancing muscles.

Pulchritudinously the production makes the harems of the Eastern sultans look like faded chromis of little Eva crossing the ice. Leading the cast are: James Barton, the Avon Comedy Four, Jack Leslie, Lon Hascall, Frankie Heath, Al Martin, Hazell Cox.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

ARLINGTON NATIONAL BANK

AT ARLINGTON,

IN THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS,

at the close of business, on December 29, 1920.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, including advances (except those shown in b and c)	\$82,370.00
Acceptances of other banks discounted	45,663.13
Total loans	\$128,033.13
Foreign Bills of Exchange or Drafts sold with indorsement of this bank, not shown under item d above (see Item 54d)	\$128,033.13
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$3,600.00
Furniture and fixtures	12,765.09
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	6,000.00
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	36,608.25
Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 11, 12, or 13)	77.50
Exchanges for clearing house	36.40
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	119.97
Interest earned but not collected—approximately—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due	163.41
Other assets, if any	2,238.66
Total	\$189,642.41

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$66,200.00
Surplus fund	13,240.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	547.99
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity, and not earned—(approximate)	1,348.23
Net amounts due to national banks	10,000.00
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 28 or 29)	1,000.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding	8,636.42
Individual deposits subject to check	\$2,653.28
Other time deposits	6,016.49
Total contingent liabilities (54a, b, c, and d) (not including items in Schedule 23 of report)	\$189,642.41

State of Massachusetts, County of Middlesex, ss.

I, Edward C. Hildreth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, 1921.

ERNEST L. PARSONS,
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But Young Bolshevik Soldier Had Heard of Trotsky, and Incidentally of Lenin.

I have just had a talk with a Bolshevik soldier, captured by the Poles when he was participating in a food scouting enterprise. He is a young man, twenty-one years old, coming from one of the interior departments of Russia. He is illiterate and a confirmed Bolshevik.

Discipline, he said, was very good in the Bolshevik army; still they did not obey orders because they were orders, but "as a matter of conscience." The military forms of address had been abolished and even the officers were spoken to as comrades. Naturally the soldiers stand at attention before their officers; but that was because every soldier in the army follows the bidding of his conscience and "it would be foolish" not to stand at attention before one's commander.

He had never seen a general or any of the higher officers, but he knew the commander in chief was called Trotsky, and that there was another head man. He pondered a moment trying to recall who the second one was, and then suddenly remembered, "Lenine." He knew nothing more about him, and did not know the names of any other commander.

He kept saying "Everyone on our side is a Bolshevik," and seemed to be impressed with the great power and authority of the Bolsheviks. When asked who Trotsky was he replied, "A very popular Jew." "The Jews are much liked in the army. They never allow themselves to be captured. They hate the Poles so, and the Poles hate them so—and invariably murder them—that they prefer suicide to being made prisoners."—From the Yossische Zeitung (Berlin).

HAS AN IDEA SON WAS RIGHT

Circumstances Brought Wife of United States Senator to Acquiesce in Youth's Philosophy.

Senator Miles Poindexter, from the state of Washington, used to live on a ranch.

One hot day he was in the garden weeding onions, when Mrs. Poindexter came across her eleven-year-old son Gale comfortably ensconced on the front porch enjoying the cool shade and a good book.

"Why, Gale?" she cried, "aren't you ashamed of yourself to sit here and read while your poor father is out there working in all that heat? Go and help him this minute!"

"Aw, mother," protested Gale, "I can't be bothered with weeding onions. Besides, I've got an engagement to go swimming at 11 o'clock."

About an hour later Mrs. Poindexter heard a low whistle from the onion patch, and before she could take in its significance father and son had disappeared down the hill in the direction of the swimming hole.

In telling the story Mrs. Poindexter said: "I don't know but what Gale's philosophy was the best. Today as a young naval officer he is sailing the high seas; while his father—well, his father is still weeding onions!"

Valuable Counterfeit.

A strange counterfeit turned up at a Washington bank recently—queer because it was a bogus \$5 gold coin and worth about eight times as much as the genuine because it is made of platinum.

The spurious coin was made about fifty years ago and bears the date of 1869. Musty archives of the secret service contain a record of the species and the case is marked "closed." The coins were made in Maine and came to the notice of the Treasury department when the son of a wealthy family took a quantity of them from a safety deposit box containing heirlooms and put them in circulation. All known specimens were confiscated by the secret service and it was not known until now that others were still in circulation.

Great Baby Shrinkage.

Doctor Johnson's dictum that "births at all times bear the same proportion to the same number of people" looks rather like a wide shot in the presence of a row of figures just published by the Cambridge University Press. These figures occur in the report of a paper read by Mr. G. Udny Yule, M. A., at the university, and they show that in England and Wales the annual birth rate per thousand has been halved in the last 40 years. In the light of this comparison the present baby boom in London leaves us still far behind our grandfathers in the art of stretching the population. In the world-competition for posterity Serbia stands first and Australia last, with England last but one.—Montreal Herald.

The Average Hair Crop.

The Bible tells us that the hairs of our head are numbered, but it does not tell us even the approximate number to a square inch.

But some one has figured this out for us. He counted the hairs in a square inch on many heads.

On the average head there are a thousand hairs to each square inch. Find out the number of square inches in your scalp and you will soon know the approximate number of hairs on it.

We are also told that four hairs will suspend a one-pound weight. Therefore an average head of hair should be able to support the combined weight of five hundred pounds. Don't try it.—Popular Science Monthly.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin,
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ested in the estate of Christo-
pher Preston, late of Arlington, in
said County, deceased, intestate.
WHEREAS a petition has been presented
to said Court to grant a letter of adminis-
tration on the estate of said deceased to
Thomas C. Preston, of Arlington, in the
County of Middlesex, without giving a
surety on his bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Pro-
bate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said
County of Middlesex, on the first day of
February, A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in
the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have,
why the same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby directed to
give public notice thereof, by publishing this
citation once in each week, for three suc-
cessive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a
newspaper published in Arlington, the last
publication to be one day, at least, before
said Court.
Witness, GEORGE F. LAWTON, Esquire,
First Judge of said Court, this seventh day
of January, in the year one thousand nine
hundred and twenty-one.
14Jan21 F. M. ESTY, Register

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gan Vespers, last Sundays at 5.

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Charles Taber Hall, rector 8 a. m. Holy Com-
munion third Sunday in the month; 10.45 a. m.
Holy Communion and sermon first Sunday
in month. Other Sundays, Morning Prayer
and sermon; 7.30 p. m. Evening Prayer and
sermon. The church school, 9.30 a. m. in
the Parish House.

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John M. Phillips, Pastor. Sunday morning
service at 10.45. Sunday School and Nich-
ole Class for men at 12.10. Y. P. S. C. E.
at 6 p. m. Sunday evening service at
7 p. m.

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son Muir, Pastor. 1188 Massachusetts
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7 o'clock. Mid-week Prayer meeting Thurs-
day 8 p. m.

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avenue, Arlington Heights. Preaching, Sun-
day, 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 noon;
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ring us up, we shall be pleased to add their
names in our next issue.

H. S. PLAYERS HONORED.

A most enjoyable time was had
by all those who attended the party
at the Lexington High school hall,
last Friday evening, given by the
school in honor of the members of
the girls' field hockey eleven and the
boys' football team of the school.
The affair was largely attended and
dancing was in order the greater
part of the evening. About midway
of the affair Principal Bion C. Merry
called a halt in the dancing, and
briefly addressed the assemblage,
which was made up largely of High
school boys and girls and their
friends. He spoke of the good work
of both the field hockey and football
teams during the season lately
closed, and congratulated the boys
on the way they had come back in
football, after the sport had been
dropped for several years during the
war. Mr. Merry then introduced
George E. Briggs of the School
committee, who awarded letters to
the players of the two teams.
Twelve girls received letters; six-
teen boys, including the manager,
were given football "L's." There
was much enthusiasm, with applause
and cheering as the letters were
given out. During the evening re-
freshments of ices and cake were
served. The players receiving letters
were:

Girls' Field Hockey Eleven—Dorothy
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ager; Margaret Cassidy, Marion
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captain-elect; Bryant Banks, Robert
Brannan, Arthur Collins, Samuel
Fardy, Howard Fisk, Ronald McIn-
tosh, Fred Newhall, Lindley Peavey,
Jack Rogers, Charles Spidle, Wil-
liam Toulouse, Harold Tyler, Challis
Wilson and Manager Kenneth Dun-
ham.

LEXINGTON
COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION.

As stated in last week's issue, the
Tavern is now open every afternoon,
Mrs. Scott being in charge. Those
familiar with the old house in the
busy Red Cross days, will scarcely
recognize the old room on the right,
though Captain Parker and his men
would probably feel very much at
home there. The old fireplace is ex-
actly as it was when the Minute
Men gathered about it waiting for
the appearance of the expected Red
Coats, although two fire places of
later dates which had been built
within its capacious jambs, had to
be removed before it was dis-
closed. Indeed, when the old brick-
work was laid bare, a curious hole
running from the outside face to the
inside of the flue was discovered in
which reposed three very old hand-
made clay pipes, and who can tell
but what they were hastily thrust
there as the men ran out to line up
on the green and then forgotten.
The plaster ceiling, undoubtedly
the work of J. P. Meriam at the be-
ginning of the 19th century, has
been removed, showing the original
whitened ceiling beams.
To be sure the plastered walls still
remain in place of the panelling
which at an early period was used
to finish the third floor rooms; but
on the whole a very good idea can
be obtained of the original appear-
ance of the room.

It is hoped to form here a collec-
tion of appropriate articles of a revo-
lutionary date and already several
have been loaned or given, including
a musket that was actually used in
the battle. Anyone possessing any-
thing of this nature, including
chains, lanterns, flip-flops, kettles,
candle moulds, old pewter cooking
utensils and the like and who is will-
ing to loan them to the association,
is asked to communicate with the
secretary.

Desk room has already been granted
the Child Welfare League and the
Associated Charities in the Post
Office wing, and it is expected the
D. A. R. and the Minute Men will
soon be holding their meetings in
the old Ball Room.
Meanwhile steps are being taken
to enroll a membership of all our
people that the association with its
mission of encouraging our Com-
munity Life, may be self-supporting.

GIRL SCOUT NOTES.

The mid-winter meeting of the
entire council was held at the home
of Deputy Commissioner Mrs. J. O.
Tilton on January 6th, at which the
executive board detailed the prob-
lems encountered and the results at-
tained since the work was started
in the fall. The interest shown in
the earnest and helpful discussion
which followed was most inspiring
and the scouts and their officers may
indeed feel assured that every worth-
while endeavor on their part will
meet with the whole-hearted support
of the council.

Among the items considered was
the best method of handling the pro-
duction rights of Scout Moakley's
play, which has already been given
in Cambridge and which it is ex-
pected to present very shortly in
Reading and Malden. A committee
consisting of Messrs. Barbour, Nich-
ols and Brown was appointed to con-
sider this question.
It was voted to share with the
other town in the Metropolitan Dis-
trict the expense of sending Miss
Dean as a representative to the na-
tional convention at Cincinnati to
be held January 18th to 21 inclu-
sive.
Arrangements were also made
hereby Miss Dean's services are to
be secured for conducting a series
of lessons for those members of the
council who desire to pass the ten-
derfoot test. At least six members
expressed their desire to pass this
examination and become real scouts.
The first meeting will be held on the
afternoon of January 26th at 2.30
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troop this spring was discussed, if
transpiring that a number of girls
not now scouts are anxious to join
the organization; but no definite ac-
tion was taken. The great difficulty
to be encountered in this connection
is securing proper captains and lieutenants.
In regard to granting leave of ab-
sence to scouts, it was voted unan-
imously that hereafter no extended
leave of absence be extended except
to a first and second-class scout, and
then only on condition of attend-
ance to at least two regular troop
meetings.

At the conclusion of the meeting
the executive board held a short
session at which Mr. W. D. Brown
was elected secretary and treasurer
pro-tem in the absence of Miss Da-
vis, who sails for Egypt on the 15th.
The girls of Troop Two are elated
at the prospect of having for their
lieutenant, Miss Alice Mott, who as-
sumed her duties at the regular
troop meeting held last Wednesday.
The Lexington officers are invited
to a luncheon to be given tomorrow,
Saturday, by Mrs. James J. Storrow
at her Beacon street residence, to
discuss scout matters with officials
from other councils.

A most valuable contribution to
community welfare was made last
Friday by Scouts Alathena Atwood,
Frances Ballard and Hazel Whiting
when, in response to the appeal
made by headquarters they left
home to spend the night in the la-
boratories of the Carnegie Institute,
Boston, and underwent a series of
tests now being conducted by Dr.
Benedict to determine among other
things, the number of heat calories
given out during sleep.

After being given a supper scien-
tifically weighed and compounded,
the girls spent the night in a tightly
sealed chamber (a "tin box," they
called it), air being admitted to
them in definite quantities and res-
toscopic observations of heat action
being made continuously throughout
the night. State Commissioner Mrs.
Hart remained with the girls and
saw that everything possible was
done for their comfort. The girls
report it a wonderful experience,
and like all true scouts, rejoice in
the opportunity for service thus of-
fered.

ARLINGTON BOY SCOUTS.

An enthusiastic and interesting
meeting of the Executive Board of
the Arlington Council of the Boy
Scouts of America was held last Fri-
day night at the Middlesex Sports-
man's Association club. Several mat-
ters of importance were decided
upon and others discussed, but put
over for later decision.

President William E. Hardy pre-
sided and the following members
were present: Vice-President Frank
H. Walker, Secretary Robert H.
Treadwell, the Rev. J. B. Mullin,
Charles M. MacMillin, Michael F.
Lane, George A. Ahern, George B.
C. Rugg, Francis Chamberlain, My-
ron W. Dole, William F. Keleher,
Bradford E. Swift, James E.
Doughty, George O. Russell, J. H.
Hayes.

George O. Russell was appointed
chairman of the finance committee;
George B. C. Rugg of the publicity
committee; Chairman C. M. MacMil-
lin, of the civic service committee;
Francis Chamberlain, of the camp-
ing committee. Mr. Russell outlined
a tentative plan to obtain associ-
ate memberships throughout the town
and thereby raise the money neces-
sary to finance the activities of the
boys.

The matter of obtaining suitable
places for the different troops to
meet in was discussed at length, and
Chairman MacMillin of the civic
service committee being instructed
to hold a conference with a sub-
committee of the school board, and
Messrs. Snow, Warren and Minard,
regarding the use of the schools for
scout meetings.

On motion of Mr. Keleher it was
voted that the chairman of troop
committee become members of the
executive committee automatically.
It was announced that the Council
had been invited to have its head-
quarters at the Middlesex Sports-
man's Association. This offer was
accepted and the second Friday in
each month named as meeting night.

The Rev. J. B. Mullin reported
that he had already organized Troop
7 with full ranks and that another
troop was rapidly filling up. Charles
J. Daley is Scout Master of Troop
7 and Parker Prindle, assistant
scout master. Father Mullin de-
clared that his boys were taking
hold of the work enthusiastically
and meeting Monday nights in the
hall of St. Agnes school, Medford
street.

TROOP ONE.

Troop One held an indoor meeting
last Friday night and engaged in
the usual work. Merit badges were
awarded to the following scouts:
Robert C. Treadwell, athletics and
conservation; Roger Bradford, life
saving, swimming; James W.
Rourke, athletics, path finding, civics,
bird study, cooking, camping,
pioneering, cycling and swimming.
This qualifies Scout Rourke for the
Eagle Scout. Curtis B. Forbes has
also qualified for Eagle Scout.

Pins for 100 per cent duty were
awarded as follows: For six months'
attendance and good behavior, Gage
Bailey, Roger Bradford, Delano Ev-
erett, Edmund Frost, King Rugg,
Sears Walker and Curtis B. Forbes.

On Saturday members of the troop
gathered six truck loads of Christ-
mas trees for use by the Middlesex
Sportsman's Association in building
shelters for the ducks on Spy Pond.

TROOP SIX.

Troop six held its regular meeting
Wednesday night at the First Bap-
tist church and after the usual scout
work, spent the evening in preparing
for the two games of basketball
Thursday night, Jan. 13, at Win-
chester High school, where games
were played with the Senior and
Junior teams of Winchester Troop
One. Troop Six's lineup will be as
follows: Chamberlain, LaCasse,
Lewis, Brown, Ahern, Substitute.

Gilroy, Junior team, Winn, Welch,
Bennett, Michaelson and Deal. Sub-
stitute, Pierce.

The first regular meeting of the
Court of Honor of the Arlington
Council of the Boy Scouts of Amer-
ica was held Monday evening, at the
Middlesex Sportsman's Association.

It was voted that the Court should
meet for examination of Boy Scouts
on the first and third Tuesdays of
each month and at the club house
of the association, the officers of
which kindly offered the use of the
building for this purpose.

A committee was appointed to
draw up a set of regulations cover-
ing the requirements for the scout
to advance from tenderfoot to sec-
ond-class and from second-class to
first. Also to make up certain forms
to be supplied to scout masters.

These regulations will probably
be approved at the next meeting of
the Court, Jan. 18, and will at once
be sent to scout masters. The first
meeting for examination of scouts
will be held the first Tuesday in
February.

To facilitate the work, the Court
was divided into two sections; one
section under the chairmanship of
William A. Forbes, the other under
the chairmanship of Roy B. Smith.

It was also voted to ask certain
citizens of the town who are fam-
iliar with the various subjects in
which merit badges are obtainable
to join with the Court in examining
the boys. In view of the fact that
there are some sixty-two different
subjects, ranging from cooking to
carpentering, civics, woodcraft, busi-
ness and the like, it was felt by
members of the Court that it would
be necessary to obtain expert help.
James W. Roark, 63 Teel street,
phone 4306-W, was elected sec-
retary to the Court. It was also voted
that the Arlington Council should
supply, free of charge, the various
badges, both ranking and merit. The
next meeting will be held Jan. 18.

ABOUT COTTON.

"Cotton and Cotton Manufacture"
is the title of a booklet issued by the
First National Bank of Boston, being
a companion to its recently distrib-
uted booklet on "Wool and Wool Manu-
facture." These publications are the
work of a member of the staff of the
bank, and cover their respective fields
in a manner never before under-
taken. They explain all the details of the
industries, but technically, and in a
manner that can readily be under-
stood by the layman.

This booklet begins with the his-
tory, distribution, and cultivation. It
describes the selling methods and the
grading of the staple. The process
of manufacture is covered in detail,
from the receipt of the cotton at the
mills to its delivery as finished goods.
Then the position of the United States
in the industry is discussed, with
valuable statistics. Numerous illus-
trations add greatly to the value of
the booklet, showing distinctly many
of the intricate processes of manufac-
ture. Many of these never have been
publicly illustrated before.

It is interesting to note that of the
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spindles in the United States, 53 per
cent. are in New England, and 30 per
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of the bank. Customers of the bank
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ARLINGTON LOCALS.

—The Saturday night "feels" at the club house of the Middlesex Sportsman's Association are becoming very popular among the members.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Shedd of Broadway are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Thursday, Jan. 6, at the Walnut Street Hospital.

—At the meeting of Arlington Council Knights of Columbus, Tuesday, Jan. 25, the first degree of the order will be exemplified on a large class of candidates.

—The degree team of Arlington Council Knights of Columbus will go to Woburn next Sunday afternoon to confer the second degree on a large class of candidates for Woburn council.

—Next Sunday evening there will be a meeting in Crescent Hall for the purpose of electing a council at the Heights of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic.

—Basketball is getting to be quite a favorite sport among the young folks at the Junior High school and teams are being organized among the boys and girls for inter-school contests. Principal Bradford E. Swift has charge of the teams.

—R. Walter Hilliard, one of Arlington's wide-awake business men, has got out a handsome, large calendar on which is printed over the heading of an attractive scene of English country life the words, "Arlington—Best town on earth."

—Quite a number of residents have telephoned to the Middlesex Sportsman's Association, asking them to come and take away the discarded Christmas tree, but there is room for quite a lot more trees. The trees are being used for a shelter for the wild duck at Spy Pond, and thus put to a very good use.

—Mr. Abbott Allen and family are finding their home in Concord, Mass., most enjoyable, and while they miss their friends of Arlington, where they have resided for a long period of years, they have other compensations that in a measure make up for this loss. Mr. Allen has an extensive farm in Concord, which he is carrying on with success.

—Miss Alice Bushnell was a guest of Miss Helen Allen the greater part of this week. She attended the guest night of Arlington Woman's club, held Thursday of last week, and many of the friends of the Bushnells were glad of the opportunity of greeting Miss Bushnell in the club, where she was active during the family's long residence in Arlington.

—A well attended whist party and dance was held in G. A. R. Hall on Thursday evening of last week, the affair being under the auspices of present and past pupils of Mary Cliffe Academy. The lower hall was used for whist, and there were many handsome souvenirs for the best scores. Dancing was enjoyed in the upper hall until a late hour.

—Last Friday evening in Knights of Columbus Hall, a well attended meeting of the John Hancock Council, A. A. R. I. R., was held. President Florence O'Connell presided, and during the evening interesting reports were presented from the recent state convention and from a conference held last week in the American House, Boston. During the evening it was voted to start a membership drive in this town, opening Jan. 15 and closing Jan. 25.

—Charles A. LeBreque, owner of the Arlington Alleys, is arranging an interesting program for the followers of this line of sport for the coming months. Each week he will have a special ten-string bowling match with some of the best bowlers in New England as the contestants. Next week, for example, Randall and Whalen will take on Patterson and Adams here. To those who have followed the game, this is announcement enough to insure some excitement in the line of bowling. These weekly matches will continue until next spring.

—Henrietta Davis Vail, widow of M. C. Larry Vail, passed away Wednesday, Jan. 5th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Fillmore, 102 Bedford street, Lexington. For 12 years she had resided in Arlington on Albermarle street. Funeral services were held last Friday at the First Baptist church conducted by Dr. Nathan E. Wood. The deceased is survived by Messrs. Fred R. and George Vail of Arlington, Judson Vail of Braintree, Charles Vail of Dorchester, Mrs. Andrew Gregory of St. John's New Brunswick, Miss James E. Purdy of Winchester and Miss Clara Vail. Mrs. Vail was eighty-seven years of age. She has been a member of the First Baptist church for several years.

—The second annual dance of the Arlington Gas Employees' Association will be held in Robbins Memorial Town Hall Wednesday evening, February 2, 1921. The general committee is headed by Mr. Frank A. Woodhead, the popular manager of the company as chairman, assisted by ever-smiling Manuel Lopez as sub-chairman and the following employees: Miss May Shean, Miss Alice Tierney, Miss Elizabeth Tierney, Miss Mary Patterson, Mrs. Mary Shean, Miss Alice Marion, Miss McManis, Miss Katherine Kelley, Miss Marion Mustoe, Mrs. Grace Woods, Mrs. Pearl Miller, Edward Crowe, John Bradley, Frank Ahern, Bert McGreevey, O. F. Pulli, Anthony P. Lopez, James F. Haley, Daniel Shea. The above committee promises all those that show up at the dance one good, lively time. This is a good chance to get acquainted with the service men employed by the company who answer your complaints.

—The final ten strings of the special match between Patterson and Adams of this town, against Eddy and Bergman were rilled on Thursday evening of last week on the Winter Hill Alleys, Somerville. Eddy and Bergman won by six pins in this ten, but the lead of over one hundred which Patterson and Adams had secured in the first ten strings, made it their match, the contest being the highest total for twenty strings.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Stetson Alley announce the engagement of their daughter, Emily Wilder, to Mr. Paul Haines Miers of Allentown, Penna. Miss Alley is a graduate of Miss Mason's school, Tarrytown, N. Y. Mr. Miers is interested in the insurance business in Allentown.

—The marriage of Miss Ruth Marietta Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrie H. Whitney, of 21 Bartlett avenue, and Mr. Charles Frederick Hunnewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. M. Hunnewell, of 50 Chandler street, Somerville, will take place Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

—Comrade Alfred H. Knowles received word on last Sunday of the sudden death of Benjamin F. Mayo, the brother of his recently deceased wife. Mr. Mayo dropped dead from heart disease in Salem. He was master mechanic of the United Shoe Company of Salem and was sixty-two years of age. He only survived his sister, Mrs. Knowles, a little over a week.

—Thursday evening, in Grand Army Hall, the officers of Post 36, elected last month, were installed by Sr. Vice-Commander Edwin F. Morrill of Mass. Dept., G. A. R. It was a semi-public function, town officers and other special friends of the comrades being present. The public exercises were preceded by a supper served in the banquet hall. The following is the full roster for 1921:—

Commander—Charles P. Kellogg.
Sr. Vice-Commander—Andrew Hubbard.
Jr. Vice-Commander—George A. Locke.
Surgeon—A. L. Wells.
Chaplain—Henry Clark.
Officer of the Day—Andrew McGinnis.
Officer of the Guard—Henry W. Berthrong.
Patriotic Instructor—Charles S. Parker.
Adjutant—Alfred H. Knowles.
Delegates—Benjamin Wright, A. L. Wells.
Alternates—Henry Gorham, Leland Bridgman.

—Richard Davis, Wellington street, has been awarded second honors in the Middlesex County Garden club contest, carried on under the direction of the Middlesex County Bureau of Agriculture and Home Economics during the past season under the leadership of the agents of the Bureau and Mrs. C. S. Eastwood, garden supervisor. He has made a profit of \$81.40 on a little less than 1-20th of an acre in his back yard. This is the third honor which has come to Richard, he having recently been appointed director from Arlington and at the Eastern States Exposition he successfully represented the state and county in an interstate demonstration contest, winning first prize. As a reward for winning this new honor he will be given a two-day trip to the Massachusetts Agricultural College next summer.

—The fourth lecture in the dramatic course being given by Miss Crook, under the direction of the dramatic and literature departments of the Arlington Woman's club, was held Monday afternoon, in the assembly hall, of the Junior High school building. The first part of the afternoon was taken up by Miss Crook, who discussed Barrie and some of his plays. Then came the presentation of the one-act play, "The rising of the Moon," by Lady Gregory. It made a pleasant innovation to the usual program and as presented by the group of ladies, all of whom have dramatic ability, gave a half hour or more of keen enjoyment. The parts were taken by Mrs. Curtis H. Waterman as the sergeant; Mrs. Henry W. Taylor and Mrs. Gorham H. Davis as the policemen and Mrs. George W. Yale as "The man." It was the first time that Mrs. Taylor has done any dramatic work in Arlington, although she is a graduate of the Emerson School of Oratory. Her work was so much enjoyed that it is hoped she will be seen again in dramatics. The next meeting of the class will be Jan. 24 at 128 Pleasant street, when Benard Shaw will be discussed by Miss Crook.

—The Arlington basketball team is keeping up its winning streaks. Thursday evening of last week, in the Old Town Hall, they pinned a defeat on the heretofore undefeated Watertown town team, the game ending in a score of 23 to 18 in favor of Arlington. The visiting team is considered one of the best now playing this line of sport, and it was with some misgivings that the fans witnessed the contest. The game was a hard one on the players, all being forced to put up their best. It was one well developed team against another and there was excitement galore. Team work featured the game, both teams giving a good account of themselves, showing the result of coaching. At the end of the first half the Watertown team had a one-point lead, but early in the second half the score was tied, then tied again three times until the final minutes, when Arlington caged two baskets in quick succession and won their game. Watertown team, made up of Holy Cross, Tufts and Boston College players, are fast and well drilled, but our own team, composed of all Arlington young men, showed that they are able to cope with any that come along. The games each Thursday evening are getting more and more popular, are very clean to witness and full of good fast playing. Tom Geary, Coughlin and "Wing" McCarthy were the pointmakers of the game, but credit is due the other players for their teamwork and good playing. The summary:—

ARLINGTON K. C.			
	Goals	Fouls	Pts.
Coughlin rf.	2	0	4
J. McCarthy lf.	0	0	0
Kyan lf.	0	0	0
F. McCarthy c.	4	3	11
Cadagan rf.	0	0	0
Geary lb.	4	0	8
Merrigan lb.	0	0	0
Totals	10	3	23
WATERTOWN T. T.			
	Goals	Fouls	Pts.
O'Keefe lb.	0	0	0
Marion lb.	1	0	2
Harey rf.	1	1	2
Hughes c.	4	4	12
Mooney lf.	1	0	2
Shanahan rf.	0	0	0
Totals	7	4	18

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A Bissextile Boomerang.

By DORA MOLLAN

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The setting for this little comedy of love must be accredited to no lesser artist than Dame Nature herself. She alone was responsible for the maple tree, the fringe of alders growing along the brookside, the orchestral accompaniment of water slipping over the stones.

To be sure, a man acting all unknowingly the role of stage carpenter had knocked together the rustic bench which stood under the tree; but the materials were of her design and coloring. It was she who supplied the blue of the June sky, the tender green of the foliage and the neutral tints of tree trunk and shaded waters.

Into this setting came tripping a dainty maiden, fair as is the wont of leading ladies. She seated herself on the bench, spread out her skirts of yellow organdie, and opening a sweetgrass basket, took therefrom a tiny silver shuttle and a ball of thread.

After a moment spent in appreciative enjoyment of her surroundings the shapely head with its crown of dusky braids bent over the little shuttle as it busily thrust its nose in and out of the thread, forming intricate loops and knots under the guidance of tapering fingers.

"Oh, Miss Nannie! Telephone!" The busy fingers stopped short in their task and the sweetgrass basket found itself in sole possession of the bench as the girl hurried up a path in the direction of the voice.

Five minutes later she returned, but the work lay neglected and the black eyes were bent thoughtfully upon the brown water, ever slipping over the



She Seated Herself on the Bench.

stones. Then, from the direction whence had come the voice, sounded a cheery whistle. Hastily the shuttle started again on its bobbing way.

It was a youth whose footsteps followed close upon the whistle—a slender youth with sandy hair, who blushed like a schoolboy as he acknowledged the girl's greeting.

"I say, Nan, it's a great day! You—you look great in that dress, too. And it's gr—bully to find you alone."

"For a recent graduate of a celebrated university, Ned, your vocabulary seems woefully lacking in adjectives this afternoon." There was a hint of amusement in the girl's voice, but her eyes, downcast upon her work, were seriously grave.

"You know I'm always tongue-tied when I try to talk seriously with you. Cousin Nell is coming on the 4:10 and I promised mother to meet her. That only gives me half an hour. And I've got something I want to—ask you."

"I'm listening, Ned." During the somewhat prolonged pause that followed the girl did not lift her eyes from the shuttle. The young man gazed at the girl, at the brook, at the alders, up at the maple tree, then back to the girl. What his lips said plainly was not at all what his brain had commanded them to say.

"I'm going to miss you like everything, Nan, when I go away."

"It's nice to be missed, Ned," Nan answered demurely.

Ned Barton looked nervously at his watch. "Only twenty minutes more! Bother Cousin Nell! I say, Nan, St. Louis is so far away, very likely I won't get up to see you more than once all winter. Dad expects me to stick there and make good, you know."

Moments passed. The girl did not reply, but apparently listened with serenity to the joyous thrill of a song sparrow that filled in the pause.

"I don't suppose that will bother you, though!" It was the pouting bitterness of self-deprecating boyhood that spoke.

The shuttle came to an abrupt stop. Nan Stacey, her eyes on the brown waters slipping by, spoke in her usual soft tone, though in her own ears her

voice rang louder than the clashing of cymbals!

"Perhaps you would be happier in St. Louis, Bob, if I were there with you—as your wife."

Barton gazed at the girl for a moment in incredulous bewilderment. Then he laid his hands gently on her shoulders, turning her to him so that he could read the wonderful truth that was in her eyes: "Do—can you mean that, Nan?" And all the joyous trill of the song sparrow, the laughing of the waters, and the gentle sighing of the maple leaves were in his voice.

Half an hour elapsed between the first and second acts of this little comedy.

Nan Stacey sat on the same bench, but the shuttle was idle in her lap. Her soft black eyes were again bent on the brown waters still slipping by. Her heart echoed the song of the little brown bird overhead. A whistle sounded from the direction of the path, followed by a laughing voice.

"Hello, Nan! Just saw Ned disappearing down the highway in a cloud of dust. Looked as if he were pursued by the wrath of God—or a motor cop. Don't tell me you let him put it over, after my tipping you off." Hal Carter flung himself down on the bench, rather too close to the girl.

Nan's shuttle was flying again, very diligently. "No," she answered, "Ned didn't put it over, Hal. Ned hasn't your self-assurance, you know."

If there was any subtle intent in the remark it was lost upon the man. There was a hint of the bully in Hal Carter. His shoulders were too massive, his forehead just a trifle too broad for its height. "Oh, I counted on that," he laughed, "when I bet him the fifty he hadn't the nerve to propose to you this afternoon. But those shy men are stubborn, sometimes. You're a clever girl to have held him off, all the same, Nan."

"Do you think so?" murmured Nan.

"Sure do!" Hal Carter fervently endorsed his own words. "Some game was put up between us this afternoon, Nannie! I win the fifty—you get that antique silver tea pot you've wanted so much. Shall I have it marked with a 'C' or do you prefer your maiden initial?" The question was asked insinuatingly, and Carter's arm slid proprietarily around the girl's shoulder.

With an elusive change of position that left the arm resting upon space Nan set upright and looked straight at the very confident young man. "Thank you, Hal," she said, "I'll have it marked with a 'B,' please."

"B? Nan! Where's the joke?" Hal's heavy brow puckered in perplexity.

"On you, Hal. You forgot about it's being leap year. 'B' stands for Barton—and for boomerang."

The song sparrow up in the maple gurgled, the maple leaves rustled; for it was the kind of joke to laugh at.

HUN RAIDERS NEATLY TRICKED

Quick Wit of Chinese Cook Responsible for the Destruction of the Cruiser Emden.

Some time ago a mercantile marine officer, who during the war was on naval service, related to me the following interesting episode in regard to the capture of the Emden:

The famous German raider landed a company of men on the Cocos Island in the early hours of the morning when most of the men in the wireless station were asleep. The detachment of Germans were under orders to put the wireless apparatus out of action. Near the beach they came across a Chinese—one of the cooks at the station mess. Him they seized hold of and commanded to lead them to the telegraph office. Unfortunately for the emissaries of the fatherland the cook kept his wits about him, and, unknown to his captors, managed to signal to one of his fellow countrymen, who was also a station servant and who happened to be near, that he was to convey the news of the landing with all speed to his masters.

This man slipped away post haste to the operator's quarters, and in the meantime the cook led his guards by a round-about way through the bush to their destination.

Apprised by the Chinese who had come direct as to what was happening, the operators were able to send out a wireless that the Emden was in the offing, so that by the time the Germans had arrived on the scene the Sydney had picked up the message and was making at full speed toward the enemy.

The Germans, not knowing that their presence had already been betrayed, arrived at the instrument-room and soon demolished its contents, no doubt feeling they had done a good morning's work. Alas! their calculations were all upset through the presence of mind of a humble Chinese cook. The latter, I believe, was not forgotten by the British authorities, for I have reason to think he now lives a gentleman of ease and leisure in his native town.—Wuchang.

Conversation as an Art.

"How'dy?"
"How're you?"
"Fine."
"That's good."
"What's new?"
"Same old—eh?"
"Come round soon!"
"Sure."
"Good-by."
"So long."

A Culinary Necessity.

"So the Greek army is going to make it hot for Turkey."
"Quite usual, my dear boy, for Turkey to be roasted in grease."

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8-8-8 Boy Scout call.

Eight blows—Forest Fire Signal, followed by two rounds of Box nearest fire.

Nine blows followed by box number General alarm, calling Medford and Somerville.

Ten blows—Out of Town Signal. Companies report, and await orders.

Twelve blows—Police Call.

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SIGNALS.

Second Alarm—repetition of first.

All Out-Two Blows Twice.

Brush Fire—13 followed by box number.

Out of Town Signal—Three Tons.

Test Signal—Two Blows at 7 A. M. One blow at 12 M. and Two blows at 7 P. M.

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(Minnie) Connor, late of Arling-

ton, in said County, deceased, in-

testate

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented

to said Court, to grant a letter of admi-

stration on the estate of said deceased,

to Courtney Crocker of Sudbury in said

County or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Pro-

bate Court to be held at Cambridge in said

County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth

day of January, A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock

in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you

have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to

give public notice thereof, by publishing

this citation once in each week for three

successive weeks, in the Arlington Advo-

cate, a newspaper published in Lexington,

the last publication to be one day at least

before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First

Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day

of December, in the year one thousand nine

hundred and twenty.

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COLLECTING BABIES

As a Fad.

The following short story was clipped from the Saturday evening edition of the Boston Transcript. It is of interest especially to Arlington, as the writer is Miss Esther G. Babson of 36 Academy street. This is not the first story by Miss Babson that has been printed in the Transcript. She has also written for several magazines. In a contest conducted by the Arlington Woman's club a few years ago, of short stories, Miss Babson was one of the prize winners.

Aunt Maria has always been a natural optimist; in fact, at times she outdoes Pollyanna in her most aggressively cheerful moods—but last Friday, when I called, she was for once in the doleful dumps.

"No, Jim, I'm not ill, but I am lonesome, and I was reading the other day that old people need hobbies or fads—like collecting things, you know," she continued vaguely. "coins or china, or butterflies or something—and I'm lying awake nights wondering what I'll collect. You see, it takes money to collect things, and it takes all I have to collect food, and to pay my bills. Why, I can't even have the clothes I need."

But I did not need to worry, for the next week, when I met Aunt Maria outside of her apartment, she was wreathed in smiles, and had the air of Balboa sighting the Pacific Ocean.

"Well, how's the fad progressing?" I inquired, genially. "You look as if it was collecting gems, and you had a line out for the Koh-i-noor."

"You've guessed it, James," replied my aunt, gleefully. "Who was the woman with the boys that said to her, 'stuck-up friend with the diamonds, these are my jewels?'"

"Oh, you mean Cornelia, the mother of the Gracchi," I responded glibly, glad to show my acquaintance with the classics. "Well, but what has that to do with your new hobby?"

"Why, you see, Jim," Aunt Maria announced serenely, as she inserted her key in the inner door, "that's the whole story. I'm collecting babies."

"Collecting babies?" I gasped, subsiding into the nearest chair as we entered. "Wh—what do you mean?"

"I'll get you some doughnuts, Jim, and then I'll take off my things and tell you all about it." Aunt Maria bustled about while I stayed my appetite and whetted my curiosity.

"You see, James," she began, "I couldn't have a hobby that cost anything to collect, and I don't care about accumulating old postage stamps or newspaper clippings, so I said, why not collect children? That will amuse me, and serve the purpose of a fad, and it'll also be doing some of the mothers a good turn."

I murmured an inaudible comment between mouthfuls of doughnut. "Well, it's a huge success, so far," chuckled my aunt wheezily. "I have 'em Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from two to five. Six children between two and five years old. When it's pleasant we play in the screened porch, and when it rains, in the dining-room. I've stocked up with toys from the five and ten cent store, and at 4 o'clock, I give 'em cookies and milk. No, not doughnuts, Jim, I save those for you."

"Well, she resumed, after my childish interruption—"if little Freddie Haynes comes to me on Wednesdays, his mother can go to the Woman's club. Clara Morse can join her singing class if she can leave Mary here, and if Lou Brown, who lives upstairs, wants to go to the movies or play bridge, why she works hard and gets little fun, so I'll take the twins every Friday. I wouldn't promise more than that, for they're the liveliest four-year-olds I ever knew."

"I'll wait, Aunt Maria, till the novelty has worn off, till you are itching to spank Freddie Haynes, and your head is splitting from the noise the twins are making, when someone else has cut his finger, and little Mary has upset a cup of milk on the floor. Then I'll run in and see how the fad works."

"It'll work all right, Jim; don't you fret," replied my aunt, cheerfully. "I've brought up five children; three of my own and you and Adelaide, and I guess these children can't beat you at any mischievous stunt."

I retired speechless after this parting shaft, and timed my next call two weeks from date.

As I entered, sounds of the dulcimer, harp, sackbut, psaltery, seemed to be coming from within. Aunt Maria, flushed but radiant, was constructing newspaper cocked hats for the twins, who were practising on their various wind and stringed instruments, preparatory for a coming parade, which I then and there decided I couldn't wait to see.

A husky two-year-old was beating a diminutive drum, which seemed to yield twice as much noise as its size would indicate—and young Fred was making the echoes ring with a combination horn and blow-pipe.

"Well," I gasped, when the pandemonium had ceased by a timely appearance of cookies and milk—"I call this a fine red-blooded hobby. Aunt Maria, none of your anaemic, spineless, sit-in-an-easy-chair fads for you. I take off my hat to you, Auntie, for a sport—the only thing is, can you hold out?"

Aunt Maria looked a little sheepish as she brought me a plate of crisp doughnuts, and glanced at her peaceful broods, blissfully crumbing cookies and spilling milk over the rug on the porch. "They seldom make such a noise, Jim. I guess I didn't realize how it sounded. Why, generally they are as quiet as mice."

"Indeed," I responded, then added significantly—"you might—er—shorten your hours, if it tires you."

"Oh, well, Jim, if I did that Clara could not go to her class or Lou to the movies. The girls are all so grateful and so eager to repay me in some way. Lina Haynes is making me a lovely hat suitable for my age,

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complicated. Another all day meeting for the same purpose will occur January 25.

The Bradshaw Auxiliary will hold a food sale Thursday, Jan. 20, at 1.30 at McLean's Furniture store, opposite the town hall.

The High school ice hockey team had a game scheduled with Somerville High for Wednesday afternoon at Somerville, but lack of ice made it necessary to cancel the game.

A meeting of the Ladies Guild of St. John's Episcopal church will be held with Mrs. J. S. Merseve, 85 Irving street, Wednesday, January 19, at two-thirty. Business and a social hour.

Joseph Rockett of East Arlington left his automobile standing near the center of the town on Tuesday evening, and when he returned he found that two spare tires had been stolen off the machine.

Whalen of Cambridge and Adams of Arlington rolled an exhibition match on the Arlington Alleys Tuesday evening. Each man made excellent scores, rolling into the 120's and 130's continually.

Wednesday evening, in Hibernian hall, a meeting was held under the auspices of John Barry Branch of the F. J. F., the meeting being for the purpose of talking over plans and making arrangements for a drive.

The John Hancock Council of the A. A. R. I. has secured Knights of Columbus Hall for its meetings, and starting this (Friday) evening the council will meet every second and fourth Friday of the month. This evening Martin Hunt will be the speaker.

John J. McCarthy of 31 Grove street place, died on Tuesday, after a lingering illness. Mr. McCarthy was a native of Ireland and had been a resident of the United States for thirty years, fifteen of which he spent in Arlington. By occupation he was a chef.

The newly elected officers of Bethel Lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows hall, the installing officer being D. D. G. M. Walton of Boston, and suite. The work of installation over, speeches were made by many of those present and the new noble grand, Albert Crosby, outlining his program for the season. The evening closed with a banquet.

One match in the Union Church Bowling League was rolled on the Arlington Alleys, Tuesday evening, the Young Men's Class of Trinity Baptist church winning four points from the team representing Calvary Methodist Episcopal. The Trinity Baptist team rolled a total of 1308, Calvary team rolled 1155. Beers of the winning team was the high roller of the evening.

On Tuesday, January 11th, the Bradshaw Auxiliary held an afternoon and evening sewing meeting at Pleasant Street Congregational church. A most pleasant and successful time was enjoyed and much sewing was accomplished for the Red Cross quota and for the Children's Hospital. Supper was served in charge of a committee, Mrs. M. C. Bradley, chairman, which was most convenient for members in business.

On Saturday, Jan. 22, the Clover Lend-A-Hand will give a dance in Robbins Memorial Town Hall. Tunes will be furnished by the orchestra. A feature of the evening, waltzes in abundance. No floor tickets will be sold at the door. Balcony tickets, 75 cents. Tickets, including refreshments, at \$1.50 may be procured of the committee, Miss Alice Homer, Miss Vida Damon, Mrs. Gorman H. Davis, Mrs. Homer Davis, Mrs. William Marden, Mrs. D. T. Percy, Mrs. A. D. Woodworth.

Tuesday evening D. D. S. K. Richard B. McSweeney and suite made an official visitation to Arlington Council Knights of Columbus. The meeting was well attended and Mr. McSweeney gave an interesting talk on the insurance system of the order. The many activities which the council are interested in were talked over at length and during the meeting it was announced that at the meeting Jan. 25 the first degree would be exemplified on a large class of candidates, this to be followed by a buffet luncheon.

The Newton League (big pins) closed the contests on last Monday night on the Northgate Alleys, Newton. Middlesex Sportsman's Association team, formerly the Arlington Boat Club, won this match and with the win came the winning of the championship of the league series. The Sportsman rollers have made an exceptionally fine showing this season and have headed this league all the way through. The rollers have been Ashworth, Usher, Brooks, Crockett and Ambrose and to them is due great credit for the good rolling they put up and their holding the head of the league and bringing home another trophy for the trophy case at the club house.

After thirteen years of faithful and efficient service as town treasurer, Mr. Myron Taylor declines to be a candidate for re-election. He desires to have the duties of the office undertaken by a younger man. Mr. Charles A. Hardy has expressed his willingness to serve as treasurer if the townspeople see fit to elect him. He is a graduate of our grammar and high schools and of Dartmouth College. Mr. Hardy has had a wide business experience, is well informed on all financial matters and as secretary for six years of the Committee of Twenty-One, has become familiar with all town affairs. His present business is such that he can devote the necessary time to the duties of town treasurer. It is fortunate that so good a man is available to succeed Mr. Taylor.

Tuesday evening in the banking rooms, the stockholders of the Arlington National Bank elected their officers for the coming year. Frank V. Noyes was chosen president; El-

iot E. Smith, vice-president. These two with George H. Rice, David Buterick, Ernest H. Snow, Rufus W. Blake, Philip Eberhardt, Herbert Allen, Philip A. Hendrick, Herbert L. Cox, Dr. David C. Dow, W. T. Beattie, Harrison L. Evans, Edward C. Hildreth, Ernest R. Kimball, Maurice P. Ahern, Arthur Birch, George McLean and G. D. Brown made up the board of directors.

Mr. Harold Cousins of Draper avenue left this week to resume his studies at Lehigh College, Bethlehem, Penn.

Miss Kate Tileston of Barry, Mass., is spending the winter with her nephew, Mr. G. H. Tileston and family of 25 Davis avenue.

On Sunday, in St. John's Episcopal church, Academy street, Holy Communion at 8 a. m., first communion for those confirmed last Sunday. Morning prayer with Litany at 10.45 a. m. Evening prayer at 7.30 p. m.

On Tuesday evening, St. James Degree Staff of Branch 1313, Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association of Arlington, assisted in the triple class initiation of St. Thomas, Blessed Sacrament and Our Lady of Lurdes branches, in Knights of Columbus Building, Jamaica Plain.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 20, in G. A. R. Hall, there will be a public meeting of St. James Branch 1313, L. C. E. A. Mrs. Elizabeth Butler, president, will preside. The speakers of the evening will be Mrs. Alice Maloney, supreme trustee, and Mrs. Bradley, supreme deputy of the order.

The first of a series of free public lectures will be given in Packard Hall (Middle Hall), Tufts College, at 8 o'clock, Wednesday evening, Jan. 19. The subject will be: "A Great Popular Epic of the Middle Ages." The lecture will be illustrated with lantern slides. The lecturer will be Prof. Charles E. Fay, head of the department of modern languages. All who are interested in the study of general literature are most cordially invited.

The married and single men of the Arlington Gas Company Employees Association, held a lively match on the Arlington Alleys Tuesday night, the single men winning out by a close margin, the last string being a tie with 461. Loftus of the single men was the high single string roller with 110. The single men rolled a total of 1340 and the married men a total of 1296. The game was the first of a series between these two teams.

The winter meeting of the Bay State Historical League will be held with the New England Historic Genealogical society, 9 Ashburton place, Boston, Saturday, January 15, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Members of the Arlington Historical society may attend even if not delegates. The subject for discussion will be "The Preservation of Old Houses." Mr. Walter K. Watkins, secretary of the league, will speak on "Old Boston Houses which have been preserved," and will show a series of lantern slides, illustrating them.

The morning service at the Orthodox Congregational church on last Sunday was made of special interest to friends of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Squire of Palo Alto, California, who have been the guests of Mr. William A. Muller the past week by the soprano solo rendered by their daughter, Miss Ruth H. Squire. Miss Squire sang the difficult solo, "Hear ye O Israel," from the Messiah. She has a sweet quality and shows musical temperament which are two important assets in a successful career. Miss Helen Hill, a cousin of Miss Squire, was the soloist. She also has a voice that shows promise. Miss Hill is a member of the Handel and Hayden society.

Another big step forward toward making the new home of the Middlesex Sportsman's Association a real place of amusement for its members, has been made by the directors of the association. Since taking over the Arlington Boat club property, this association has planned many things, and already an ideal camp has been established in what used to be the canoe rack room. Now the directors have purchased a moving picture machine complete, and this will be installed at once. The machine will be set up so that in the warm weather shows can be given either on the pond or on the athletic field. In order that others may have enjoyment out of the machine, plans are being made toward renting the club house for small parties.

Brockton High School basketball team won from Arlington High in the Suburban League series Tuesday afternoon in the High School gymnasium. The Arlington boys put up a good battle and held the visitors to a tie score through the first half. In the second half, however, the visitors got used to the size of the gym and played a fast game, getting twenty points in the last half. Brockton played a very good passing game, the men being on the go all the time. Peters of the visiting team was the point winner for his team, having a total of 16 points. Viano of the Arlington team made seven of Arlington's total of eleven points. Arlington showed some improvement over its game last week with Chelsea. Experience is what the team needs and this can only be obtained by playing the game. It seems too bad that Arlington should have to start its league season with games against the fastest and best teams of the league. The score: Brockton High school, 28; Arlington High school, 11.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Squire, also Miss Ruth and Miss Helen, who have been east since early fall, visiting the Squire's oldest daughter, Mrs. Frank H. Abbey of Portland, Me., left Boston on Thursday for their home in California. The Squires have been in Arlington a week, during which they have been guests of Mr. William A. Muller, whose deceased wife (Kate Squire) was a sister of Mr. John Squire. They were also entertained by Mrs.

Henry W. Wells, of 920 Mass. avenue, a sister of Mrs. Squire (born George Richardson), a daughter of the late William H. Richardson, a long-time prominent resident of Arlington.

On Friday morning, Jan. 7, a milk for muff left in the Arlington Gas Light office. Owner may have same by proving property.

Thomas E. Streton, who was operated upon for gall stones at Symmes Arlington Hospital, is convalescing satisfactorily. Mr. Streton has been foreman in the Alfred H. Knowles' plumbing and heating business for a long time and also the janitor of the First Parish Unitarian church. His faithful discharge of duties has made his services valuable and friends hope he will soon be able to resume his activities.

Mr. E. A. Provencher, connected with the B. F. Keith office of Boston, has been engaged as manager of the Regent theatre. Beginning next week, there will be high-class vaudeville given at the theatre on Monday and Tuesday of each week. In connection with the pictures, it is the desire of the management to give their patrons what they desire. They only want to find out the wishes of their patrons to carry them out on screens and stage. The theatre has been thoroughly renovated of late. Plans are now completed to install a \$16,000 organ the latter part of January.

Ever since the forty-five tournament started between teams representing the Elks, Hibernians and Knights of Columbus for the championship of the town, the Hibernian team has been leading and the other two teams struggling along close seconds. On Monday night the seventh sets of games were played in Hibernian Hall, the Elks getting 50 games, Hibernians 43, and K. of C. 57. This brought the K. of C. players tie with the Hibernian team with 360 games thus far in the contest. The Elks are 330 games to date. Next week the games will be played on Wednesday evening instead of Monday evening.

The monthly meeting of the Arlington Chapter of the Laymen's League will be held Monday evening, Jan. 17th, at eight o'clock in the vestry of the First Parish Unitarian church. There will be the regular short business meeting followed by a group of speakers who will talk on "Personal experience in three allied air forces." They will be Lieuts. E. Norman Hunt, Air service in the United States Army; Lieut. William F. Loomis, formerly Lafayette Flying Corps; Lieut. Robert Sewall, Royal Air Forces and the 85 Canadian Highlanders, Nova Scotia, Scottish. Any men interested in hearing these speakers whether they be members of the League or not will be welcomed.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary and Social Union was held in the chapel of the First Baptist church on Monday afternoon at 2.45. Mrs. Herbert J. Munroe presiding. After the business session the society was entertained with a program entitled "The Bible and Missions," in charge of Mrs. W. E. Richardson. Bible verses and clippings were read by several of the ladies, Mrs. Herbert Munroe, Mrs. Henry Hudson, Mrs. Carl Patriquin, Mrs. John Leitch, Mrs. E. E. Stackpole, Mrs. H. T. Gregory, Mrs. Harold L. Frost, Mrs. A. E. Upton, Mrs. R. Hunt, Mrs. George Rounds, Miss Davis. The meeting adjourned at 4.15, after which a social hour was held. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ralph Hunt, Mrs. Arthur Stevens, Mrs. John Crawford, Miss Florence Leitch gave a piano solo.

The annual meeting of the parish of St. John's Episcopal church was held Monday evening, in the parish house, Rev. Charles Taber Hall, the rector, presided. After reports from the various societies had been presented, showing the prosperity and growth of the church in every activity, the parish officers for 1921 were elected as follows: Senior warden, Frank H. Hubbard; junior warden, William D. Elwell; clerk of the parish, Albert Crabtree; treasurer, A. O. Yeames; members of the vestry, C. R. Beattie, Dr. E. R. Brooks, G. W. Chickering, R. M. Simonds, Solon Gray, Robert Lennon, J. S. Meserve, John Walker, John Willwerth, auditor, William D. Israel; delegates to diocesan convention, G. W. Chickering, R. O. Burns, Dr. E. R. Brooks; delegates to archdeaconry of Lowell, A. C. Fitch, George Duncan, G. B. Ladd. A social hour followed the business meeting. Refreshments were served in charge of the following committee: Dr. E. R. Brooks, chairman; C. R. Beattie, John Willwerth.

Monday evening, in G. A. R. Hall, the newly elected officers of St. Agnes Court, Daughters of Isabella, were installed in the presence of a very large gathering of sister members of the local court and courts in surrounding towns. The installing officer was Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald, district deputy, assisted by Mrs. Frances Conley as monitor. The officers installed were: Miss Anna B. Callahan, grand regent; Mrs. May Priest Rogers, vice-grand regent; Miss Frances Ahern, prophetess; Miss Josephine Dacey, financial secretary; Mrs. Anna D. Callahan, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Smith, monitor; Miss Grace McCarthy, sentinel; Miss Irene C. Thompson, pianist; Mrs. Katherine McCarthy and Mrs. Mary F. McCarthy, trustees. During the social session which followed the installation, the retiring grand regent, Miss May Fogarty, was presented with a handsome gift as a souvenir of her term of office. Hand-some bouquets were presented the installing officer and her assistant. All adjourned to the banquet hall, where daintily arranged tables were temptingly filled with goodies. The tables were decorated with crepe paper and flowers, the color scheme and the arrangement being most effective.

On Monday, Paul L. Cotting of 30 Hume avenue, Medford reported to the police that when he was driving his machine on Summer, near Mill street, he was struck by another machine which did not stop. He

gave the police a good clue, also a number. Tuesday morning Patrolman Fred Kirlin was given the number at the morning roll call, and he was on the street but a short time when he spied the wanted number turning into Pleasant street. He gave chase in the department's trusty "Henry," and overtook the other machine at a paint shop in Belmont. The name of the owner was secured and other details of the bump were ascertained and action will follow.

A novelty in the way of assemblies was introduced at the High school on Monday, when the student body was the guest of the Board of Editors of the Clarion, the school paper. The program was a varied one and opened with a selection by the Mandolin club sextet. The Misses Dorothy Gray and Emma Parker presented a duet; seven boys of the freshman class did a novelty sketch, introducing nursery rhymes; Miss Andrina Steele Kenney and Miss Martha Pray did a Teddy bear dance; William Tobin sang a group of song hits with parodies; Miss Alice White, a graduate of the school, sang a group of songs. All the numbers were received with well merited applause and all those taking part responded most generously to the encores. The assembly ended with a march of the classes by the mandolin sextet.

The High school ice hockey team played its first game of the season on Monday afternoon on Spy Pond, the Brown and Nichols team of Cambridge being the opponents and winning the game one to nothing, the lone goal being a lone, long, lucky shot from well down the rink. The game was played on the open ice and is much different from rink playing, which the school will be drilled in by Coach William T. McCarthy. The first half went scoreless and in the first few minutes of the second half Collier of the Brown and Nichols team took a long shot which bounded over Goalend Berry's hockey stick for a tally. The game was marked by some excellent work on the part of both teams, but judging for all appearances, the Arlington school has the makings of a very fast team, which when it has a chance to get onto some ice and condition, will make them all go fast to beat. The score of the game was as follows:

BROWNE & NICHOLS, ARLINGTON HIGH
Dwight rw. lw. Hardy
Cordingley c. lw. Bower
Collier r. c. Lynch
Rayner lw. r. Bateman
Rus. cp. rw. Tobin
Crowley p. cp. Crosby
Bradford g. g. Sheehan
Score: Brown & Nichols 1. Goal made by Collier. Referee, Jost. Goal umpires, Berry and Duncan. Timer, Olsen. Time two twenty halves.

G. A. R. AND W. R. C. INSTALL OFFICERS.

For the first time in two years the George G. Meade Post, 119, G. A. R., and Woman's Relief Corps, No. 97, both of Lexington, on the evening of Jan. 6, held a joint installation of their new officers, in Grand Army Hall. Last year, because of the feeble health of a number of the comrades and the severity of the weather, the post held no formal installation and the officers of the corps were installed alone. A large number of persons witnessed the joint installation, last week, for besides the members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C., members of the Lieutenant-Colonel John W. Hudson Camp, 105, Sons of Veterans, and its Auxiliary, attended as guests. Only six members of the Grand Army Post were able to be present at the induction exercises, which were impressive.

Mrs. Nellie F. Libbey, chairman of the department relief committee, was the installing officer; she being assisted by Mrs. Fannie Jones, department treasurer, as installing conductor, with Mrs. Eliza Griffin, installing chaplain.

Past Commander Everett S. Locke was installing officer for the post, and Past Commander George N. Gurney, assisted as officer-of-the-day.

Mrs. Mattie A. Gurney was installed as president of the Woman's Relief Corps, and Selectman William B. Foster was inducted as commander of the post.

Following the installation exercises, addresses were made by those on the platform, including the installing officers: Miss Mary Elliott, department secretary; Past Commander Joseph R. Cotton of the Stanley Hill Post, No. 38, American Legion; Commander George A. Goodwin of the local Sons of Veterans' camp, and Mrs. Lucie Howard, president of the S. of V. Auxiliary.

During the evening the installing officers for the corps were presented with gifts of souvenirs of Lexington, the presentations being made on behalf of the Corps by Mrs. Gurney. Mrs. Harriet Child presented Mrs. Gurney, for the Corps, with a cyclometer plant and also flowers.

Preceding the installation, a splendid supper was served in the supper room, under the direction of the Mrs. Addie Morse, assisted by the executive committee of the Corps. The menu included cold ham, mashed potatoes, celery, baked beans, rolls, coffee and pies. The color scheme was red and green, the tables being decorated with baskets of apples.

LEXINGTON LOCALS.

There will be a meeting of the International Relations Committee with the Lexington Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, next Thursday, Jan. 20, Mrs. Franklin B. Shumway, state regent, will attend.

Lexington Chapter of the Laymen's league met Sunday evening at 7.30 in the vestry of the First Parish church. Members of the Laymen's league of Follen church were invited and fifteen attended. Mr. John E. A. Mulliken, president of the local chapter, presided. Rev. Frank R. Gale, pastor of the Follen

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church, gave an address on "The Future church." The theme of his subject was that the church must put more business into its religion and more religion into business. About forty men attended.

Mr. Gerald Bowker will have charge of the meeting of the Follen Guild, Sunday evening, Jan. 16.

Dr. Harry Bishop Osgood of Waltham street, secretary of the New England Fox Hunters' club, last week sent out notices for the 16th annual winter meet of the club, which will be held in Milford, Mass., the coming week. Several Lexington hunters are planning to attend the hunt.

There will be a meeting of the Society at Buckman Tavern, Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, at 8 o'clock. Mr. J. Henry Duffy will give an account of "The Old Peat-Industry in Lexington."

John Miskell of Concord avenue was arraigned in the District Court, at Concord, last Monday morning, on a complaint of Special Officer George Fay, charged with not having his wagon properly lighted after dark. He was found guilty and paid \$3.50 as costs.